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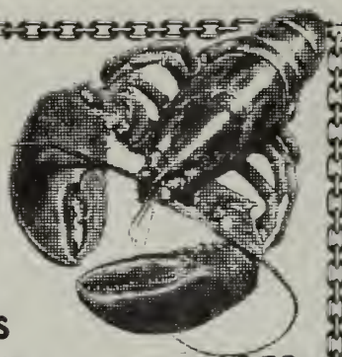

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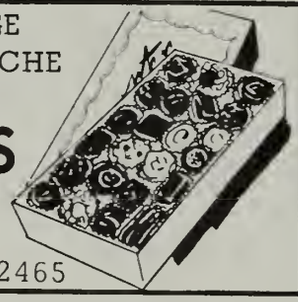

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TOWN HALL NEWS

Mattapoisett Selectmen are investigating the best method to employ to slow cars on the Beacon Street hill curve. Residents in the vicinity of Beacon and Foster Streets made the complaint about the excess speeds and the parking on the sidewalk on this curve which combined to create a hazard for pedestrians and other cars.

Notice was received from the U. S. Army Engineers that a request has been made to construct a causeway between Nasketusket Bay and Brant Island, the causeway to have a bridge opening.

Selectmen have been invited to the Police Association's annual Christmas Party at the Reservation Golf Club on December 18th.

Mattapoisett and Rochester Selectmen perambulated the boundaries on Sunday between the two towns.

Requests for bids on insurance will be going out in a few days to be opened December 14th.

Thomas Martin, owner and manager, discussed the formation of a teen-age club at My

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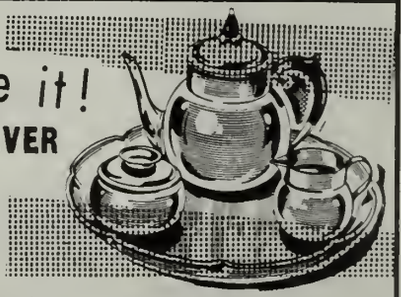

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Place. He said that such a club would be run by a board of governors, membership cards issued and applicants screened.

At another meeting, Selectmen will be presented with a list of the board of governors. Selectmen said that a license, if approved, would be on a day to day basis. Live entertainment, food and soft drinks would be featured.

JUNIOR GRANGE MEETING

The Mattapoisett Junior Grange held its bimonthly meeting last Friday night with the worthy master, Wayne Sylvia, presiding.

The secretary, Dorothy Wheeler, was unable to be present.

Robert Ouellette, assistant steward of Sippican Pomona, was present as the Pomona representative.

Past master, William Sylvia, installed John

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Reports on Bird and Conservation were given by William Sylvia and James Sullivan.

Plans were discussed for the Christmas party December 10th. Members are asked to bring a 39¢ gift suitable for a boy or girl. Members are to be at the Grange Hall Wednesday, December 8th, at 6:30 P.M. to trim the tree.

The master appointed William Sylvia, Gail Bauer, Mark Harris, James Sullivan, Joanne Silva and Paula Roberts to plan the music and carol singing to entertain the people at the Nursing Home December 23rd. All members are to help with the singing.

Jane Harris, Home and Community Service chairman, and her committee, will take care of the Christmas Remembrance greetings.

The lecturer's march was presented to Mary Beth Breton. A story game was played.

Gail and Elizabeth Bauer served refreshments.

BOOSTERS CLUB - SPORTS BANQUET

The Old Rochester Boosters Club will once again put on its annual Sports Banquet to be held at the High School cafeteria on Saturday, December 11th. A great deal of interest has been shown this year by the communities of Rochester, Marion and Mattapoisett in the success of the football team who has had an excellent season with 8 wins and 0 losses. The school spirit has been excellent. Interest is high for wanting to give honor to this team who has compiled such a fine record. The Boosters Club sponsor this banquet each year no matter what the record has been.

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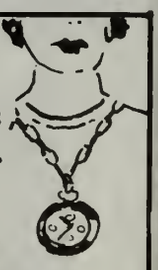

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Invited guests will be the undefeated football team, the Freshman football team and the cheerleaders. Any person or organization wishing to help sponsor the banquet or awards may do so by contacting Ernest B. Dorr of Mattapoisett.

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Friendship Circle was conducted by Mrs. Helen Winslow. Work was continued on various sewing projects, in anticipation of the summer sale. A basket lunch was served at noon.

It was voted to hold the December meeting on the 14th because the regular date would be Christmas week. Members will meet at The Coffee Shoppe for a dutch treat luncheon at 11:45 A.M. There will be no exchange of gifts. The January meeting will be held the third Tuesday with Mrs. Leila B. Sherman and Mrs. Edna L. Borden as hostesses, at the home of Mrs. Borden, County Road, Marion.

Plans were completed for the food sale, at Tinkham's Pharmacy. Mrs. Lillian Johnson, Good Cheer chairman, was instructed to send cards to shut-ins, and the Circle planned to remember the birthday of a hospitalized member. Donations to underprivileged families at Christmas will be discussed at the December 14th meeting, when Mrs. Shaw will be back from a trip.

A letter was received from the East Fairhaven Ladies' Benevolent Society, thanking the Circle for entertaining their members recently at lunch and a social afternoon.

GARDEN CLUB CHRISTMAS SALE

Marion Garden Club members are busy preparing for the club's Christmas sale which will be held on Friday, starting at 10 A.M., at the clubhouse of the Sippican Woman's Club on Front Street, Marion. The sale will continue through the day until all items are gone. Christmas shoppers will find a variety of beautiful and unusual Christmas decorations and gifts. There will be wreaths of all descriptions - cone and

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MARION GRANGE MEETING

The regular bi-monthly meeting of the Marion Grange was opened by Master Arletta Bean at 8:10 P.M. who turned the meeting over to the Pomona Master, Frank Jefferson, as he and his officers filled the chairs for the evening.

Included among the many guests present were Sippican Pomona officers, Frank Jefferson, master; Paul Ouellette, overseer; Irene Jefferson, lecturer; Norman Ouellette, steward; Roger Ouellette, assistant steward; Louise Westgate, chaplain; George Sousa, treasurer; Joseph Bradford. secretary; Gerald Braley, gatekeeper; [illegible] Deschamp, Ceres; Audrey Ouellette, Pomona; Mary Oliviera, Flora; Rebecca Day, lady assistant steward; and Walter Caswell, pianist. Visiting masters included Gerald Braley, Acushnet; Manuel S. Roderick, Jr., Fairhaven; Clayton Westgate, member State Youth Committee; John Bower, chairman State Youth Grange; and

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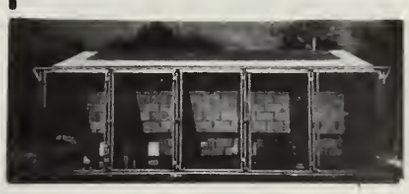

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Clarence Anderson, past deputy State Grange.

Mrs. Frank Jefferson, lecturer of Pomona Grange, presented a grand program in which all participated. The lecturer's march was won by Laura Mitchell and Walter Caswell. John Bower gave a very interesting talk on his recent visit to the National Grange in Kansas.

Refreshments were enjoyed by all. The next regular meeting will be a birthday party on December 1st. All members are invited to attend.

CHRISTMAS PARTY

The annual Christmas party for Rochester children will be held on Monday evening, December 6th, starting at 6:30 P.M. The program will include Landry, the Magician, Santa's visit and refreshments for all. Mrs. George Church and Mrs. Greenwood Hartley, Jr. are co-chairmen for the Yule event and parents should call them for reservations before Sunday, December 5th, giving the names of children who will attend and their ages.

Mrs. Margaret Benner and Mrs. Alberta King are in charge of arrangements for the Christmas dinner and party for Rochester Woman's Club members which is planned for the evening of December 13th at 6:30. Members are urged to call well in advance for reservations and those attending are to bring a dollar gift.

CHRISTMAS SALE

Early bird Christmas shoppers will find numerous gift giving ideas, from stocking stuffers to under the tree presents, on display from 2 to 8 P.M. Thursday, December 2nd, at the annual Christmas sale of women of the church held in the upstairs vestry of Rochester First Congregational Church, Rochester Center. Featured will be a choice assortment of handknits, needle work, stuffed toys and novelty gift items. Also available will be food and white elephants. Mrs. William Warburton is sale chairman.

Mom need not rush home to prepare supper; a smorgasbord, offering dishes to please every member of the family, will be served at 6:30 P.M. in the dining room in the downstairs vestry. Mrs. Wesley Davoll is supper chairman. Mrs. Paul Gary will supervise in the dining room with decorations done by Miss Martha Fearing. Supper reservations may be made with Mrs. Marion Church.

Merchandise tables will feature aprons, handknits for babies and children with sweaters for women, handiwork, handcraft, gift and novelty items in a wide selection to please pocketbooks of "little folk" as well as young people and adults. Ready to assist in making selections will be Mrs. Arthur Seabury, Mrs. Everett Hard and Mrs. Arthur R. Lundberg.

Choosing from homemade candies, cakes, cookies, pies and other goodies, sweet toothers and pastry fanciers will find something to

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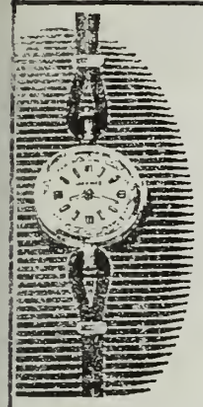

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Years Ago

By C. M.

155 Years Ago -- 1810

This column has frequently quoted Capt. James Snow's Almanac so it might be interesting to know something about Capt. Snow; particularly about his early active days as a shipmas-

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ter and about some of his voyages.

As a lad he had come down from his parents' farm--lying along the old road to Rochester. This farm, though grown up to woods for more than a century, is still called the "Snow Fields" by old timers who go hunting. He must have shipped as cabin boy at a tender age, for in his very young manhood in the 1790's he was a shipmaster. He had made enough money on his own trading transactions to marry, and also to buy the lot of land on Water Street and build the house on it now lived in by Mr. and Mrs. Albert Furnans.

He continued to captain merchant ships from Boston, New York, and Philadelphia to British and European ports, and the Cape Verde Islands, as well as in the coastwise trade, until he had accumulated sufficient funds to retire in the late 1820's or early 1830's. When the Mattapoisett Wharf Co. was formed in the 1830's he got the job as superintendent, or manager, or whatever it was called. This required him to be down at the wharves every day, and accounts for his noting down marine intelligence--arrivals, departures, launching of ships--in the margin of his Old Farmer's Almanac (along with deaths, births, accidents, when he smoked his herrings, etc.)

A few business letters to Capt. Snow, and also three or four logs of his voyages, still exist. If we look at the letters first, we soon learn that a merchant shipmaster had to be a businessman as well as a seaman. We also get a picture of the way the maritime merchant business was conducted--as soon as a vessel reached port, the captain awaited instructions by mail from the ship's owner or agent, telling him what port to proceed to and what cargo to pick up, and how much money to charge and to pay out, and on whom to draw bills and to whom to send them. Here is a sample:

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I have a letter from Jacob Barker in which he desires me to request thee to write to him from day to day untill the ship gets to Boston, informing him how thou gits along with her, he is very anxious to hear of her being out of the river, when it intends to engage a charter for her. I thank thee to write him according to his request. Thou will probably have frequent opportunities to send thy letters to the post office by persons who are passing. Please to inform me of the ships giting to the lower wharf, and whether the spars, sails, and provisions and other things have arrived at the ship from Boston, and thou will oblige thy assured friend

Thos. Harard (Hazard ?) (Jr. ?)

P.S. As thou will be aboard the ship when she leaves the River, and of course cannot write, I will thank thee to ask our friend William Delano, to write immediately by post to Jacob Barker, in New York and inform him of the ship having left the River.

(Continued next week)

SIPPICAN ROD AND GUN CLUB

At the monthly turkey shoot of the Sippican Rod and Gun Club held at the clubhouse grounds, located at Dexter's Lane, Rochester, the following sportsmen were lucky winners: Stephen Faust, first shoot; Richard Faust, second shoot; S. Cowell, third shoot; F. Mead, fourth; Roland Scott, fifth; Richard Holmes, sixth; N. St. Onge, seventh; A. B. Cummings, eighth; and Anthony Rose, ninth.

The Thanksgiving Basket was won by Frank Pratt. The kitchen was staffed by Mrs. Harvey Scott, assisted by Tita Thompson, sister of Henry Thompson, club custodian. The kitchen and counter are always open during all events, with home cooked food prepared by and under the direction of Mrs. Harvey Scott, wife of activities chairman, Harvey Scott. Mr. Scott is assisted by Anthony Rose on the firing range.

There will be a Christmas Party at the next meeting which is December 2nd. All members are asked to bring a gift to exchange. Entertainment is planned for the evening. Come and support your officers.

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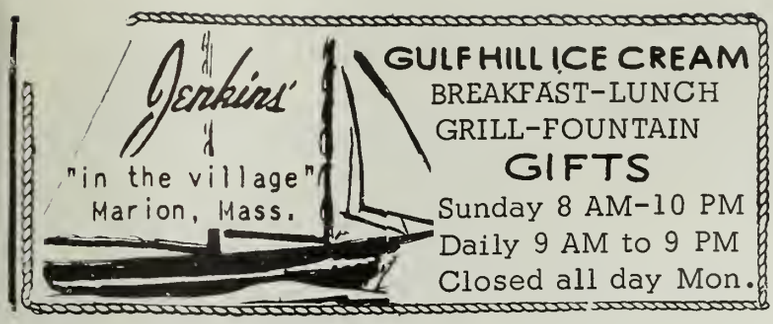

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GRANGE NOTES

The Mattapoisett Grange whist party for the painting fund will be held at 1:30 P.M. in the Grange Hall this Thursday. Come for a pleasant afternoon with a coffee break.

The bi-monthly meeting of Mattapoisett Grange will be held Thursday night. The program is in charge of the "Three Graces", Ruby Barber, Jennie Toolis and Ada Furtado. Music and a games party will be enjoyed. Members are asked to bring something for prizes. Refreshments will be served by Albert Pemberton and Edith Johnson.

There will be a Rummage Sale in the Grange Hall to benefit the painting fund this Saturday, December 4th, from 9 A.M. to 1 P.M. Donations will be gratefully received for the sale.

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"OPERATION CHRISTMAS STAR"

The Cub Scouts of Pack 53, Mattapoisett are making this their Christmas Project for this year. They are doing this through the Christian social relations committee of St. Gabriel's Church, Marion, Miss Suzanne Prewitt, chairman.

The Cubs are going to gather suitable gifts and package them in cartons before Thursday, December 2nd. Mrs. Neil Sylvia of 6 Barstow Street, Mattapoisett or any other Den Mother will accept the items. The cartons will be transported overseas by the Air National Guard planes.

Items needed are playing cards, pocketbook editions, canned vacuum packed nuts and candies, writing equipment, crossword puzzle books, pencils, pens, recording tape (1/4 inch-150 ft. lengths), individual sewing kits, 45 R.P.M. records, small games such as chess, checkers, scrabble, cribbage, monopoly; harmonicas, adult puzzles, numbered paint sets, fruit cakes, popcorn in own container like Jiffy Pop. Please do not send perishable foods, cakes brownies, etc. They will not keep. Also chocolate. Their shaving needs are supplied by the Red Cross.

Anything no matter how small will be appreciated.

Because the enthusiasm and interest has been so great, the Defense Department is providing transportation by way of airlift to central points in this area and then overseas.

The Air Force Reserve planes will be used to collect the packages in the United States and then they will move them to staging points where they will be airlifted overseas by Air National Guard planes.

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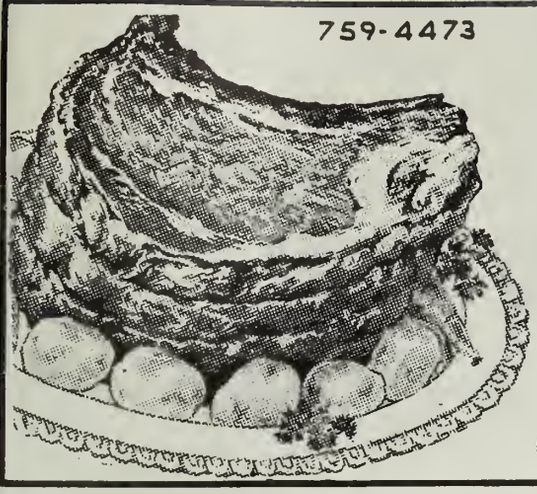

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CIVIC CHORUS TO PRESENT CONCERT

The Regional Civic Chorus will present its first concert of the current season on Friday, December 3rd, at 8:15 P.M. It will be held in the Gilbert D. Bristol, Jr. auditorium of Old Rochester Regional High School in Mattapoisett. The chorus is directed by Zavan A. Mazmanian and is made up of residents of Marion, Mattapoisett and Rochester. A varied program is being offered which will include piano selections by Mrs. Enid Carruth and Mrs. Thelma Ostenfeld.

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The Cadettes conduct troop meetings Tuesday nights in the meeting room of Rochester Fire Station under the leadership of Mrs. Margaret Benner, who is assisted by Mrs. Charles Savaria. Patrols for the first half of the Cadette scouting year have been organized, with names of patrols selected and patrol leaders chosen, including Honey Bee Patrol with Marianne Ross, patrol leader; Leslie Tuttle, assistant leader; Patricia Savaria, Patricia McCombe, Gail Wood, Laurie Labelle; Wrangler Patrol, Michelle La Pointe, leader; Paula Leconte, assistant leader; Linda Jenkins, Kim Hartley, Bonnie Spooner. Scout Hartley is troop scribe and Scout Spooner is troop treasurer.

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Other patrols include Arapohoes, Beverly Plaud, leader; Cathy Wright, assistant leader; Sharon Peirce, Sally Jones, Charlene Walker, Julie Leconte and Johnanna Jenkins; Wildcats Patrol, Polly Gerrish, leader; Susan Lawrence, assistant leader; Denise Charron, Rebecca Robar, Donnalee Carreau, Jeanne McCombe and Katherine Fearing; Phantoms Patrol, Naomi Arenberg, leader; Holly Gifford, assistant leader; Dianne Sherman, Linda Vaughan, Kathy Charron and Melody Broughton.

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